

10:00 WORSHIP
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
October 21, 2018

Prelude

Announcements

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

Opening Hymn *“He Leadeth Me”* LBW 501

Greeting and Response: Psalm 57:1-5

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

P: Be merciful to me, O God, be merciful, for I have taken refuge in you;

C: in the shadow of your wings will I take refuge until this time of trouble has gone by.

P: I will call upon the Most high God,

C: the God who maintains my cause.

P: He will send from heaven and save me; he will confound those who trample upon me;

C: God will send forth his love and his faithfulness.

P: I lie in the midst of lions that devour the people;

C: their teeth are spears and arrows, their tongue a sharp sword.

P: They have laid a net for my feet, and I am bowed low;

C: they have dug a pit before me, but have fallen into it themselves.

Prayer of the Day *“Absolve your people, O Lord, from their offenses, that by your bountiful grace we may be delivered from the bonds of sin, which our own frailty has brought upon us; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.” Amen.*

Praise Song *“Peace Be Yours”* BOB 183

Children’s Message Kay Groethe

First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:5-9

See, I have taught you statutes and rules, as the LORD my God commanded me, that you should do them in the land that you are entering to take possession of it. Keep them and do them, for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, ‘Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.’ For what great nation is there that has a god so near to it as the LORD our God is to us, whenever we call upon him? And what great nation is there, that has statutes and rules so righteous as all this law that I set before you today? “Only take care, and keep your soul diligently, lest you forget the things that your eyes have seen, and lest they depart from your heart all the days of your life. Make them known to your children and your children’s children.

Second Reading: Romans 12:1-5

I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Verse *“God’s Word Is Our Great Heritage”* LBW 239

Gospel: Matthew 4:18-24

While walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon (who is called Peter) and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen. And he said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men.” Immediately they left their nets and followed him. And going on from there he saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him. And he went throughout all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction among the people. So his fame spread throughout all Syria, and they brought him all the sick, those afflicted with various diseases and pains, those oppressed by demons, those having seizures, and paralytics, and he healed them.

Sermon *“Two to Tango”*
Sermon Hymn/Offering *“Where He Leads Me”* RED 452

Offertory *“Create in Me”*
Apostle’s Creed

Prayers of the Church and Lord’s Prayer

Benediction

Closing Hymn *“Lift High the Cross”* LBW 377

P: Grow in faith!

C: Impact the world!

Pianist Judy Sprung
Lector Brad Leonard

Flowers on the altar are given in honor of Ethan and Ruth Fish’s 62nd wedding anniversary by their family.

Prayers for Craig Colberg, Jeanne Anderson (Karen Hallquist), Karen Kiefer, Darlene Eide, Doug Colberg, Charles Scheff, Dennis Estenson (Frances Kunde's son), Joyce Strube, and Jersey Peschong.

Birthday party for Eunice Trygstad on October 27th at 2 PM at Park Place. Everyone is invited to wish Eunice a Happy 94th birthday.

We are looking for a Sunday school superintendent. Contact Pastor Kent if you have any questions or could help us out.

The Mission Project for our Living Word Women's organization in October is **Food** Items for the Grant County Food Pantry. Anyone who wishes to contribute may drop off items at the church or take them to the Court House.

Prayerfully consider sponsoring a **Radio Broadcast** of our church service on KMSD. The service is broadcast on KMSD at 8:00 AM on Sunday mornings. The cost is \$65. Sign-up sheets to sponsor Radio and/or provide flowers are on the table in the fellowship hall.

Benefit for Tye Schaffer, son of Mike Schaffer, diagnosed with Acute Leukemia. Spaghetti Dinner will be held on Sunday, October 21st at Speedway Event Center from 10:30 am - 1:00 pm. Free will offering. Silent auction and Kids games (tickets 5 for \$1.00). Games available 10:30 am - 1:30 pm.

Raffle/Silent Auction in honor of Tanner Schwagel. Tanner tragically passed away on October 7, 2018. The Raffle/Silent Auction will be on Sunday, November 4 from 3:30-6:30 PM at the School House Suites. A free will donation meal will be served from 5-6:30 PM. Bidding will end at 6:30 PM. All proceeds will go to the Schwagel family for expenses. Donations can be made by contacting Ashlie Veen at 605-949-1925 or Amy Prisinger at 320-226-9243.

There will be a short meeting for ushers after worship on Sunday, November 4th. Come if you are presently an usher or if you would like to be one.

We welcome visitors this morning to our worship service!
If you live in the area and wish to know more about Living Word and the salvation found in our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, please pick up a tote that contains a brochure with more information and a book titled "Miracles and Milestones" written by Pastor Groethe. Thanks for visiting Living Word, and come back often.

Visitors please sign our guest book located in the fellowship hall. Thank you for worshipping with us at Living Word Lutheran Church. We hope your worship experience is a blessing.
"May the Lord bless you and keep you." Numbers 6:24

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TODAY	8:45	Sunday School
	9:00	Coffee Fellowship
	10:00	Worship
	11:15	“Building God’s Kingdom Project” meeting
	11:15	High School Youth Group
	7:30	Diabetes Support Group
MONDAY	5:30	CBS leaders
	7:00	Community Bible study
TUESDAY	9:00	Quilting
WEDNESDAY	9:30	Searcher’s Bible study
	1:30	Prayer time
	2:00 - 3:30	Confirmation/Youth Group, NO Puppet Practice
	6:00	NO Worship
	6:00	Confirmation Banquet
	6:00	Choir
THURSDAY	9:00	Community Coffee Fellowship - Open to the public
SUNDAY	8:45	Sunday School
	9:00	Coffee Fellowship
	10:00	Worship

There will be **NO WEDNESDAY WORSHIP** on October 24th due to Confirmation Banquet.

November Servant Team will meet on **Sunday, October 21st** during Coffee Fellowship at 9:00. **Servant teams help with ushering, greeting, furnish and/or serve treats for coffee fellowship, help with weddings if scheduled during the month and help and/or furnish for funerals that maybe during the month. If every member, who is able, volunteers for at least one area of service during their month, the work of the church will easily be accomplished throughout the year. Your help is greatly appreciated. Please prayerfully consider being co-chairman for your Servant team.** *“When a person trusts Jesus Christ for salvation, he or she is made a member of the body of Christ”* ([1 Corinthians 12:27](#))

**Co-chairman: Bobby and Mary Kinder
Steve and Vicki Strege**

Jeff and Julie Berger
Marlin and Janice Fenner
Doug Forster
Roger and Steph Hansen
Gary and Janeen Ingber
Mark Keeton

David Kruger
Doug and Annette Redepenning
Matt Reich
Marlin and Shirley Schmidt
Angela Varpness
Rita Wellnitz

Living Word Lutheran Church shut-ins would welcome a visit or phone call.

St. William's Care Center: Ruth Modin, Lois Helm - 204,
Phyllis Murphy - 223, Joyce Strube - 210, Clara Pederson, Ruth Walth - 217
Milbank Care and Rehab: Evy Berg - 106, Clarice Durbin - 310, Ken and
Kay Strandvold

Park Place: Frank Brown - 206, Curt & Elaine Hallberg - 310, Janice Johnson
- 313, and Luvilla Weber - 324, Ruth Malkerson - 317, Gene and Cleo Mann -
204, Eunice Trygstad—315, Chris Nelson

Betty Nordquist - 1520 3rd Ave SW, Willow Creek #9, Watertown, SD -
605-878-2344

Rosie Naeve - 901 14th Ave NE #406, Watertown, SD
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Ken and Fran Kunde—702 S 1st St

The Grant County Christian Service Council had a GREAT day for the last food giveaway of the year! We received 4,739 pounds of food from Feeding South Dakota and were able to distribute it to 180 families. We were blessed to have 46 volunteers representing 11 different churches in Grant County, as well as volunteers from the Kiwanis Club and Wells Fargo Bank. We couldn't do what we do without the help of these amazing volunteers!

We were again so appreciative of Valley Queen for their donation of cheese for every family, as well as Runnings for loaning us shopping carts for the shoppers to use, and Hartman's Family Foods for a donation of grocery bags. United Hardware has always been so generous in donating cardboard boxes for packing the food and we thank State Farm for letting us use their trailer for hauling cardboard from Feeding South Dakota to recycle. The shoppers and volunteers were able to snack on cookies donated by members of several of the area churches. Finally, we want to thank the Valley Express and KMSD for all their efforts in helping us advertise and get the word out about the giveaway. It truly does take a village! God Bless everyone who continues to help make this endeavor such a success!

LeAnn Kuper & Brenda Maass
Grant County Christian Service Council



MISSION KICKOFF MONTH

Sunday, October 7 - World Mission Sunday

8:45 AM - A special guest speaker will talk about World Missions and his ministry in helping congregations get deeper into mission support.

10:00 AM - Guest speaker, Bill Moberly will give a message about reaching the lost around the world.

11:30 AM - Bill Moberly will meet with those who are interested in being on the new missions team. Lunch will be provided. Let Pastor Kent know if you are interested.

THE GREAT KINGDOM BUILDING PROJECT

Living Word Lutheran Church members are asked to attend one of three meetings to learn about our new outreach and missions project and give their feedback and ideas. The meetings will be Sunday, October 14 at 11:15 AM, Wednesday, October 17 at 7PM and Sunday, October 21 at 11:15 AM.

ANNUAL MEETING

At our annual meeting on November 18, we will assign a team to gather ideas for missions and outreach and come up with a strategic plan.

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